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**Abstract**

**Overvoltage protection device**

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The invention relates to an overvoltage protection device for an electronic apparatus having a plug-in device which has at least one plug-in element and is designed for insertion into a housing of the electronic apparatus. In overvoltage protection in which there is no need for any additional shielding measures from the electronics, a protection board which has a spark gap in order to dissipate overvoltages is arranged on the plug-in element.

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(Figure 1)